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Expedited Procedure
Group Art Unit: 1722

PATENT
Attorney Docket No.: 040894-5642

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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Noriyoshi SHIDA et al.)
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Application No.: 09/810,228)
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Filed: March 19, 2001)
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For: MOLD FOR INJECTION MOLDING)
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

In response to the Final Office Action dated October 11, 2002 (Paper No. 10), and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.116, the period for response to which extends through February 11, 2003 by a Petition for Extension of time and fee filed concurrently herein, entry of the following amendments is respectfully requested to place the application in clear condition for allowance or, alternatively, in better form for appeal.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 9 and 10 without prejudice and disclaimer.

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